## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: LUMPKIN **EXAMINER:** SERIAL NO.: 10/679,128 ART UNIT: 3723 FILED: **OCTOBER 3, 2003** SYMMETRIC CLAMP STRUCTURE **CONFIRMATION NO.: 2259** 

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## RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

TITLE:

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed August 29, 2007 in the abovereferenced application because each claim had not been properly identified. Attached hereto are the claims with the proper identification.

Claim amendments begin on page 2.

This constitutes a request for any needed extension of time and an authorization to charge all fees therefor to deposit account No. 19-5117, if not otherwise specifically requested. The undersigned hereby authorizes the charge of any fees created by the filing of this document or any deficiency of fees submitted herewith to deposit account No. 19-5117.

Respectfully submitted,

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